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Market Reports

Wheat	40s-50s
Oats	25s-30s
Barley	25s-30s
Chopped feed per cwt.	\$1.10
Straw	\$1.00
Shorts	\$1.10
Flour per cwt.	\$2.40 to \$2.50
Potatoes per bu.	75s
Beans per doz.	25s
Butter per lb.	15c to 17c

The Weather.

The following table shows the temperature for the past week. We give the figures as they are about 9 o'clock in the forenoon so as to get as near the average as possible.

	Above	Below
Friday	1	1
Saturday	12	12
Sunday	12	12
Monday	12	12
Tuesday	5	4
Wednesday	5	5
Thursday	5	5

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REV. DR. MORRIS WECHSLER.

Rev. Dr. Morris Wechsler, Rector of the Cong. Bnd. Church, New York, January 2, 1901.

DR. TATT BROS. MEDICINE CO., GENTLEMEN: Your Asthma medicine is an excellent remedy for Asthma and Hay Fever. I have used it several times with success. It is a wonderful and wonderful cure. After having it carefully analyzed we can state that Asthma medicine contains no opium, morphine, chloroform, or other dangerous drugs. Very truly yours,

REV. DR. MORRIS WECHSLER.

Attn: Springfield, N. Y., Feb. 1, 1901.

DR. TATT BROS. MEDICINE CO., GENTLEMEN: I write this testimonial from a sense of duty, having tested the wonderful effect of your Asthma medicine for the cure of Asthma. My wife has been afflicted with spasmodic asthma for the past 12 years. Having exhausted every remedy, as well as many others, I chanced to see your sign on your windows on 14th street, New York. I at once ordered a bottle of Asthma medicine. My wife commenced taking it about the first of November. Very soon noticed a radical improvement. After using one bottle her asthma has disappeared and she is entirely free from any symptoms. I feel that I can confidently recommend the medicine to any who are afflicted with this distressing disease.

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Road Meetings.

At the meeting of the ratepayers of this district Thursday last week, it was unanimously voted to double the assessment for this year, making the tax \$5 on each quarter. It was decided to have a portion of the work done at once while cutting and clearing may be more successfully done. R. P. Bell, F. S. Fish and Wm. Fuller were appointed deputy overseers to have supervision of the work in the respective neighborhoods.

In district No. 325 a most enthusiastic meeting was held. Here also the ratepayers expressed their desire for better roads by doubling the amount of tax. Joseph Strutch was shown the appreciation of his noble work on the roads last summer by being re-elected overseer for the ensuing year. At both these meetings circular letters were read from the department asking the ratepayers their opinion of paying their road tax in cash or by commutation. In both instances the expression was unanimously in favor of commutation. The spirit manifested by the people, almost without exception, in their zeal to do all in their power toward the roads is gratifying not only to present residents here but also to prospective settlers, and this alone will go far toward making Ponoka district one of the most famous in Alberta.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Southside Public School District.

With your permission, Mr. Editor, I propose to change the name of the "Garden of Alberta" to that of the "Garden of the Southside." The name "Garden of Alberta" sounds too much like "tooting one's own horn," and is a dishonest and unfavorable reflection on our neighbors, who have been equally as good as our own. Your former correspondent had things transferred to a well kept garden. He had a Devil's Ginch running through the center; black bears (with white faces) made a rendezvous of the garden; the Methodist minister held prayer meeting in Joe's stock on "Father's Green"; in fact the whole thing savored strongly of boarding house hash—a good deal, everything was not made of anything. The idea of any correspondent having the audacity to try to make an innocent and sensible public believe that Dick Pulver was so lost to reason that he would take to himself a partner of the female person for life. We who know him are firmly impressed with the belief that he would not "take" anything out of the ordinary necessities of life, and that Dick would not under any circumstances take a female and keep her for life (against her will and consent).

The cattle in this neighborhood are in good condition. They have required but little hand feeding up to this time, having made their own living on the range. I think, however, that last spring calves and old cows would be benefited by a little extra feeding and shelter.

The building of the schoolhouse was by tender. John C. Bell was successful candidate. He being the lowest bidder together with his reputation as a good mechanic secured him the job. The building is to be completed May 1, and will be opened by a grand ball or a prayer meeting just as the people may choose.

Killing wolves is the order of the day in this neighborhood. One man, whose first name is unknown, killed thirteen seven since winter set in, and it is our intention to keep at the good work on all these pests are exterminated, so that we can raise sheep with some degree of safety. We are having a few dogs, too, by one unknown and fatal disease not known to Science, SYMP-TOM: The dog generally takes a tour of the neighborhood shortly before he attacks his golden statue. And symptom: The dog takes fit and his body becomes rigid, the extremities (the dog froths at the mouth and goes into hysterics, takes three leaps at the moment, fit and last symptom: The dog dies and is gathered to his fathers.

We are making seriously of sending for a government veterinary to make a diagnosis of this dog disease.

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